

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

001/009

MAY 25 2006

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW OFFICES
CARRIER, BLACKMAN & ASSOCIATES, P.C.

24101 NOVI ROAD
SUITE 100
NOVI, MICHIGAN 48375

Tel. (248) 344-4422
Fax (248) 344-1096
E-mail- cblackaw@amcritech.net
www.carrier-blackman.com



JOSEPH P. CARRIER*
WILLIAM BLACKMAN*

*Registered to practice before the
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

U. S. and Foreign Patents, Trademarks, Copyrights, Computer Law, Trade Secrets, Licensing, and Litigation

FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION COVER SHEET

DATE: May 25, 2006 ATTY DKT: KPO-108-A YOUR REF: USSN 10/055,844

Filing Date : 23 January 2002 APPLICANT: Kai et al.

TITLE: AIR BAG APPARATUS FOR SIDE CRASH

TO (COMPANY) : US Patent & Trademark Office, Art Unit 3616

ATTN: Examiner – Eric D. Culbreth FROM : Joseph P. Carrier

FAX NO. CALLED: (571) 273-8300 NO. OF PAGES (Including this page) 9

We are also mailing you a confirmation copy of this material if this box is checked. ☐

If the received fax is illegible or incomplete, please call (248) 344-4422 for re-sending.

MESSAGE: Please promptly acknowledge receipt of the attached document (Amendment F), and deliver same to the Examiner.

Certificate of Transmission

I hereby certify that this cover sheet and the enclosed document is being sent via facsimile transmission to the US Patent & Trademark Office on May 25, 2006.

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE

The information contained in this transmission is confidential. It is protected by the attorney-client, joint-defense, work-product, witness-statement and/or party-communication privileges. It is intended only for the use of the individual or entity named above. If the recipient or reader of this message is not the intended recipient named above, distribution, further transmittal, or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify us immediately by telephone, and return the original message to us at the above address. Thank you.

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

MAY 25 2006

Attorney Docket No. KPO-108-A

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Kai et al.
Serial Number: 10/055,844
U.S. Filing Date: 23 January 2002
Group Art Unit: 3616
Examiner: Culbreth, Eric D
Confirmation Number: 7883
Title: "AIR BAG APPARATUS FOR SIDE CRASH"

AMENDMENT-F

Mail Stop After Final (AF)
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. BOX 1450
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the final Office Action dated March 2, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begins on page 7 of this paper.